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**SECRETARY OF THE STATE SUSAN BYSIEWICZ
TO VISIT HAMDEN HIGH SCHOOL**
*Secretary to speak to students about voting
and participation in elections*

On Thursday, February 1, 2007, Secretary of the State Susan Bysiewicz will speak to approximately 450-500 seniors at Hamden High School's Auditorium from 9:30 AM to 10:30 AM in Hamden. The school is located at 2040 Dixwell Avenue.

Secretary Bysiewicz will engage the students in a discussion about the importance of voting and participating in elections. She will also register those students eligible to vote on-site.

"I am truly delighted to have the opportunity to visit with Hamden High School's seniors to talk about government and the importance of voting in local, state, and federal elections. These students are the future leaders of our state and country, and it is vital that they participate in our democracy at an early age," said Secretary Bysiewicz.

A number of local elected officials, including Mayor Craig Henrici, Town Clerk Vera Morrison, and Registrars Anthony Esposito and Margaret Rae, plan to attend the event.